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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
Michel PHILIPPE et al.)
Application No.: 10/821,914) Group Art Unit: 1615
Filed: April 12, 2004) Examiner: Unassigned
For: N-α- AND N-ε-LYSINE AND ORNITHINE COMPOUNDS COMPRISING A THIOL FUNCTION AND COSMETIC USE THEREOF))))

RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF APPLICATION

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Sir:

In response to the communication of June 23, 2004, the period for response having been extended to September 23, 2004, by the accompanying Request for a one-month extension of time and fee payment, Applicants submit a copy of the executed Declaration/Power of Attorney for filing in the above-identified application, the required fee of \$130.00, and a copy of the Notice to File Missing Parts.

Please associate the enclosed Declaration with the above identified application.

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Please grant any extensions of time required to enter this response and charge any additional required fees to our Deposit Account No. 06-0916.

Respectfully submitted,

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FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

Filing Date Granted

Items Required To Avoid Abandonment:

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is missing.
 A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.

SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:

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